Pacific Naval Bases and More Vessels Urged by Admiral to Meet Japanese Menace.

By CHARLES E. HUGHES,

International News Service. LOS ANGELES, May 31 .- With his leave-taking from the Pacific fleet, whose unbuilding he has directed for the past two years in his capacity as commander-in-chief, Admiral Hugh Rodman, distinguished for forty-six years' service with the American Navy, paid a splendid tribute to the efficiency of America's sea fighters; and made a plea for the united support of the nation in the navy's gram for adequate facilities on the

pretentious naval program to take

care of its commerce.

He also warned that unless America properly equips its Pacific fleet with adequate bases, so that America ican commerce can be safeguarded, its warships will deteriorate and the prestige of the United States be allowed to suffer.

Admiral Rodman, who has had more active sea duty than any other

officer in the American navy, will Seibold Gets \$1,000 for Wilson get at least a brief respite from ser-vice affoat. He will proceed im-mediately to Washington, where for a short time he will serve with the Navy Selection Board, which recommends advancement for officers. On completion of this work he expects to be assigned to duties that will keep him in the East.

175 NAVAL CRAFT IN PACIFIC. The veteran, who was one of Dewey's commanders when the Spanish fleet was overwhelmed in one of the world's most effective sea battles public service rendered by any Ameriat Manila Bay in 1898, and who was knighted by King George for his con-spicuous service with the British grand fleet as commander of the American unit in the World war, expressed keen regret that he work as the Pulitzer prize in the Puli

estimate of the tremendous role it. will play in the next century, when "AGE OF INNOCENCE" BEST NOVEL our Pacific commerce is developed on One thousand dollars was awarded the scale of magnificence it is sure

At the present time there are more than 175 fighting vessels of all types in the Pacific fleet, with the prospect, the admiral pointed out, that this number will be swelled if the navy is to keep abreast of the grow-ing United States mercantile marine centered in the Pacific trade.

"I have no knowledge that the the near future, but if Washington is there will have to be improved docking and repairing facilities. While we have no enemies in the Pacific, we While do expect to have a larger commerce in this ocean, which means proper

naval protection is necessary.
"Japan, which feels it must have a larger mercantile marine to support its national growth, has provided a "The Ame of trade as Japan is providing for those under its flag.

PREFER NEW BASE.

Admiral Rodman explained that the Navy Department has found San Diego to be well suited for a destroyer and aircraft base; that Los Angeles harbor is ideal for a submarine base main base on San Francisco Bay. He stated that naval pricers agreed that Mare Island is inadequate as a base for great capital ships, and that Ala-meda has been selected as an idea

The admiral explained that it is necessary to expand the "efficient base at Bremerton, Wash., but the navy must have at least one other base on San Francisco Bay." He said that if it came to a decision as to the necessity for building the new San Francisco Bay base, as opposed to constructing one or two new capital ships, he would recommend the new

the International News Service the admiral sent the following message to American men and "If the people in Kansas, in Ohio,

in New York, in Maine, or in Florida only realied that it is just as much their interest from a standpoint of national welfare to have adequate facilities for our great fleet on the Pacific as it is for the people of Cali-fornia, or Oregon, or Washington they would get behind the Navy Department through their Congressmen and Senators and boost for the indorsement of the present Pacific coast naval improvement program."

Spanish General Killed.

MADRID, May \$1.-Capt. Gen. Ser- all Saragossa, was killed and Lieut. introduced the assassins into a fourteen-meter precipice.

## Dad Gone 35 Years, CROWDS WAVE BON VOYAGE TO But Girls Can't

thirty-five years ago, leaving a wife and two children. Since that time his wife has died and the daughters now seek the \$1,000 death benefit. They were unable to produce any certificate of death. The matter was referred to a com-The matter was referred to a com-

# west coast. He warned that Japan is energetic and aggressive and is providing a PONZI EXPOSURE

Interview-Sims' History Wins \$2,000.

Post's exposure of the Charles Ponzi scheme of quick wealth, by which hundreds of persons in Boston and elsewhere recently lost their savings, is considered by Columbia University the most disinterested and meritorious can newspaper during the past year.

wish Americans in every part of the country could realize what an important part the West coast now plays in our national life," said the admiral to the International New York "Then they could form some | ment of some public good commanding public attention and respect.

manhood

For the original American play performed in New York which best pre-Pacific fleet is to be augmented in sents the educational value and power ceded by sessions of several departof the stage in raising the standard of going to enlarge it or maintain it at its present standard of efficiency, manners \$1,000 was awarded to "Miss meeting on June 8, the metal trades Lulu Bett" by Zona Gale.

> tory at Sea," by Rear Admiral William hold forth. S. Sims, in collaboration with Burton

"The Americanization of Edward vention of the American Federation larger navy to keep pace with its Bok," by Edward Bok, was given a of Labor will be convened in the ships of trade. We should have at least as much protection for our ships biography teaching patriotic and under the least as much protection for our ships biography teaching patriotic and under the least of Labor will be convened in the selfish service to the nation and at United States and Canada with a the same time illustrating an eminent voting strength approximating 30,000

of the 40,000 votes in the general as-The Pulitzer prizes were estab- sembly of the federation, will be in lished by the will of the late Joseph attendance, according to figures given Pulitzer, one of the foremost figures out by Ed Anderson, secretary of the in American journalism, and were Colorado State Federation of Labor, intended to inspire writers to per- at the Denver headquarters. form, through their works, services of the greatest possible public good.

# and Mexico will occupy seats on the floor of the convention. J. H. Thom-

Georg Wilhelm.

of the former chief of the German general staff who made plans for the war. They own vast estates in Macklenburg and large properties near Cassel.

victims.

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Get Insurance ATLANTIC CITY, May 31.—Questions as to the advisability of changing the constitution to permit of the payment of benefits in the absence of a coroner's certificate of death precipitated a lively fight on the floor of the convention of the grand lodge, Independent Order Free Sons of Israel, at the Breakers today.

the Breakers today.

The question was brought before the session officially through the claims at daughters of the late Albert Frank, of New York, a member of the order, who disappeared thirty five years ago, leaving a

# **BOSTON POST FOR**

Wins \$2,000.
NEW YORK, May \$1.—The Boston GOMPERS TO FACE

One thousand dollars was awarded Edith Wharton for her novel, "The Age of Innocence," which the prize committee considered the best American novel published during the year. Denver in 1894 and in 1908. presenting the wholesome atmosphere of American life and the highest standard of American manners and

SIMS' HISTORY WINS \$2,000.

For the best book of the year on the history of the United States a prize of \$2,000 was awarded "The Vic-

and son, by dynamiting the castle where they lived, and thus become heiress to estates worth \$15,000,000 was revealed when Countess Ella Schlieffen and her two young sons were arrested on the accusation of Count Martin Ernst Schlieffen and his twenty-five-year-old heir, . Count

The Schlieffens are near relatives

The countess and her sons, with woman companion, hired three assassins to whom they promised \$50,000 blood money if they would blow up the castle in Mecklenburg and kill vando Marenco, military governor of the title. One of the countess's sons Bernardo Carcello and two other castle at night in order to plant the soldiers were seriously injured when dynamite, but at the last moment the a military automobile plunged over plot was betrayed to the intended

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### Brooklyn, N. Y., for Italy, where the famous tenor will spend the summer at his villa. Thousands of admirers were on hand to wish him bon voyage. Caruso and his party are occupying seven suites aboard the President Wilson, the reservations costing \$35,000. music world: Mrs. Caruso and Baby Gloria, made aboard the S. S. President Wilson, which sailed from Loses Wife When Best N Friend "Peaches" On

A spendid photograph of Enrico Caruso, noted

tenor, whose recent illness caused apprehension in the

**DENVER CONCLAVE** 

"Open Shop" Issue Will Also Be

Feature of Annual A. F. L.

Meeting.

By MICHAEL F. DACEY.

International News Service.

DENVER, May 31.-When the

merican Federation of Labor opens

its forty-first annual convention here

on June 13, it will mark the first

time in its existance that the great

tained for the third time by the same

Previous conventions were held in

The 1921 convention is expected to

be the largest ever held in point of

accomplished. The sessions will con-

The main convention will be pre-

mental branches or the national la-

on the same day: on June 9 the Labor

Trades Assembly will convene; the

mining department will hold sessions

June 10 and on June 11 the Interna-

tional Labor Press Association will

TO MUSTER 40,000 VOTES.

On Monday, June 13, the main con-

In addition, fraternal delegates representing organized labor bodies in

England, France, Australia, Japan,

as, M. P., widely known English la-

n the foreign contingent.

or leader, will be a prominent figure

ado; Gov. Robert D. Carey, of Wyom-

"OPEN SHOP" FIGHT.

Following addresses by former

ongressman Edward Keating, head

of the Plumb Plan League, and James

C. Bulger, president of the Colorado

Federation of Labor, the convention

will be formally opened for considera-

tion of many of the most vital prob-

lems that have ever come before the

Despite lack of co-operation from

business and civic organizations be-

cause, it is claimed, of the determined

"open shop" fight that has been waged

Colorado for many months an ex-

the visiting delegates and those who

will accompany them has been com-

the scenic wonders of the Rocky

eading hotels for 2,000 visitors dur-

A real "thriller" on the entertain-

ment program is a passenger train

the convention sessions.

national assembly.

mountain region

delegates preseint and work

tinue probably two weeks.

labor arganization has been enter-

Li'l Party NEW YORK, May 31.—The popular notion that a husband's chum will stick by him through thick and thin, even to the extent of taking sides against a wife when romance smashes on the rocks of the marital sea, has been

dispelled in supreme court. Morton E. Lowe, realty broker, 116 West Seventy-second street, was good friend to Harry Beekman, salesman, 115 West Fortyeighth street, until the night of March 15 last.

On that night Lowe, according to his testimony yesterday, went to call at the Beekman home and saw Beekman entering the house with a woman of a distinctly different type of beauty than that of Mrs. Beekman.

Lowe went to a telephone and summoned Mrs. Beekman. Together they made a midnight call on the Beekman home and there it is said they found Beekman with the woman who had supplanted his wife in his affections.

Lowe told the court that he later assisted Mrs. Beekman in instituting divorce action.

Justice Finish announced he would sign an interlocutory decree

climb of over 11,000 feet to Corona. Col., at the summit of the Continental Divide. Automobile tours of the Denver and Rocky Mountain National parks will be a feature, and facilities sightseeing trips to Pikes Peak Lookout mountain and other famous eaks and canyons will be afforded the visitors. A visit to the Union Printers Home in Colorado Springs is also be-

FORSEE END OF GOMPERS.

Widespread reports that opposition crystalizing in national labor circles to the re-election of the veteran. Samuel Gompers, to the presidency of the federation, are given little credence by Colorado leaders in the labor

movement. Addresses of welcome will be de-vered by Gov. O. H. Shoup, of Colo-Frank J. Hayes, former president of the United Mine Workers of America, who now makes his home in this ng, and Mayor Dewey C. Bailey, of city and who is in close touch with Samuel Gompers, president of the John L. Lewis, president of the min-American Federation of Labor, will ers' organization, the man who has respond to the welcoming speeches. didate for the chief executiveship of the American Federation, frowns upon

all suggestions that Lewis will make

fight for the place.

President Johnson, of the Internaional Machinists' Union, a bitter critic of Gompers, and who has wielded much influence in previous conventions of the federation, is said to be in Russia and will not return in ime to attend the sessions here. It is pointed out, however, by some who oppose the Gompers regime that "superstitious indications" lead to the belief that Gompers' long career at the head of the American Federation tensive program of entertainment for will come to a close at the 1921 convention. As a basis for this belief they recall that the only time Gompleted by S. P. Oplinger, chairman of pers met defeat for the presidency the general committee on arrange- was at the first convention held ! ments, and Ed C. Davis, who is in Denver in 1894, when John McBride charge of publicity. With funds con- was elected for a one-year term, the tributed by the 40,000 union workers only hiatus in Gompers' continuous n Colorado and Wyoming, the visitors reign since his first election in 1832. will be treated to views of many of They also cite the fact that the con vention convenes on the "unluck, 13th," which, they believe, will be Reservations have been made at ten an ill omen for the aged labor leader.

AUSTRIANS VOTE "YES"

ON UNION WITH GERMANY BERLIN, May 31.—The majority in avor of annexation of Salzburg (Ausria) to Germany in Sunday's plebis-ite was over 84,000, according to reurns received here today. The vote

For annexation, 85,406; against annexation, 745.



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# **UNDER ARREST** CHARGE OF FRAUD

The National Daily

CARUSO AS HE SAILS FOR ITALY

nspctors Say Mrs. Edgar Has his enthusiasm for roads, and that by Confessed to Sendng Worthless Checks Through Mails.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., May 31 .is city. Mrs. Edgar, thirty years confessed having obtained through er scheme several hundred dollars orth of feminine wearing apparel. said to have been drawn upon Bald-winsville and phoenix State banks. Without awaiting the funds on the check the mail order germ, and he was considered a benehouses shipped the articles ordered, which were received by Mrs. Edgar at different places, sometimes at the postoffice in Syracuse, and again in other nearby cities.

Recently a New York mail order nouse, having received notice that a check issued by "Dorothy Pierce" had been returned as worthless instructed the Syracuse postoffice officials to hold a certain parcel post package addressed to Dorothy Pierce. About this time Chicago mail order houses were heard from. They, too, with other New York firms, had been caught in the scheme. . A Pinkerton detective was put on the job, the ar-Mrs. Edgar following. Mrs. Edgar's operations, according

to her confession, have extended over period of almost a year. The charge against Mrs. Edgar is using the mails to defraud. The penalty is a fine of \$1,000, five years in jail, or both. .

facoma Advertising Club are making elaborate preparations for the enterainment of the members of the Pacific Coast Advertising Club Associaention in this city, July 3 to 9, inlusive Probably no other convention of the

ssociation has ever been arranged with more attention to the entertainment of the delegates as the one to be held here this year and the thousands of delegates from all the cities of the Coast, who plan to attend the session, re assured of one of the most royal mes they have ever experienced. The three paramount entertainof the six-day meeting are the national automobile races at the huge facoma Speedway, the American Leion entertainment in the great open-

air stadium on July 4 and the visit to he great mountain known in the Northwest as Mt. Tacoma or Mt Rainier. Famous automobile drivers from very section of the country will participate i nthe annual speed classic on the afternoon of July 4 and in the evening the American Legion enter-tainment in the stadium will bring

amous artists from the East to take

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G. Batchelder Was Pioneer Advocate of Good Roads, Says Associate.

By WILLIAM ULLMAN, Managing Editor the American Motorist.

In the death of A. G. Batchelder he American Automobile Association loses the man who made the gree national organization of motorists what it is today, while the good roads movement in this country loses one of its earliest and most ardent sup-

Back in the days of the bicycle. when most people looked upon any proposal to build roads as only aneral Government to participate in roads building.

REACHED HIS GOAL.

When on July 11, 1916, President Wilson signed the Federal aid road act, thereby bringing Uncle Sam into roads building after more than seventy-five years of passive highways policy, Mr. Batchelder all but com-pletely collapsed. He had reached the roal of many years' effort and release from the strain wrote weariness upon its features, though his heart was full

By some he was considered a "nut" on the roads. He was-if Mr. Edison is a "nut" on electricity. He always had the clearest thoughts on roads legislation and roads build-ing, and his ideas have been generally accepted. He talked good roads incessantly, on every occasion, at every opportunity, in season and out, believed that every one should share constantly talking good roads would win more roads advocates.

HAD LITTLE SUPPORT. He was right, for the person who isn't for roads today is a rare speci lever scheme to defraud mail order men. But when Mr. Batchelder startcouses is revealed in the arrest here ed talking roads building with its of Mrs. Eunice H. Edgar, postmistress great cost, the man who agreed with t Pennellville, twenty miles north of him was a rare specimen. But he drinkers of sparkling French chamkept up and on and his voice has been of age and attractive, is said to have heard in behalf of roads building in practically every section of every are now being used by Americans, while a few miles away a monster State in the Union. He never be- This fact is shown by French govern- veritable air Pullman—rated at 100 came discouraged. He was never too

> To A. G. Batchelder more than any other one man the motorists of the United States owe a debt of gratitude for the charted, sign-marked and improved roads they ride over when they go a-motoring.

Mr. Batchelder's most recent ambiional roads system to be under the ago. supervision of a Federal highway French champagne and other rare Petitions, which bore more than a commission. The bill introduced re- wines from abroad are now coming million names, were presented by the cently by Senator Charles E. Town- into American ports under special delegation to support their plea for send of Michigan marked the first of- permits issued to importers author- recognition. ized by the Government to handle The President listened attentively While securing roads legislation, such liquors for "medicinal" or other while the appeal was made, but did ficial step toward that goal. roads building and roads maintenance uses enumerated under the dry laws. not commit himself.

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FAVORED SYSTEM.

### Coast At Mercy Of Air Fleets, Says Gen. Mitchell

The Atlantic coast line of the United States is at the mercy of the air fleet of Great Britain or

any other power with sufficient air force operating from the East.

This was the revelation, supported by official records, made yesterday indirectly by Brigadier General Mitchell General Mitchell, assistant chief of the army air service. The disclosure came at a conference with newspaper correspondents. Gen-eral Mitchell said:

eral Mitchell said:

"Great Britain could send to our Atlantic coast 400 planes within seven days, and 800 more within twelve days."

Great Britain, he added, has about 3,000 airplanes, including the reserves; Japan about 400, and the United States 450.

other scheme to burden them with of the A. A. A., Mr. Batchelder gave more taxes, and when talking for generously of his personal time and roads was met with only discourage ment. Mr. Batchelder foresaw their need and their possible value, and he recompense other than the satisfac- Batchelder as one of its victims. was first among those to recognize tion of seeing his early dreams real-the importance of bringing the Fedwork was a service in behalf of his

> gridironing the country to be utilized by aerialists and sutomobile. by aerialists and automobilists alike. "Eddie Rickenbacher, then a mem-He has long contended that aviators ber of the Maxwell racing team, was could follow these roads and that they should be lined from coast to Grand Prix auto race. He whirled coast and from border to border with landing places. So it was that he rossessed.

As the executive head of the A. A. A. he was the finest "boss" an employe ever had. He was beloved by the entire staff and his untimely end leaves us stunned and heartsick.

"Dry" laws have not stopped the life. Boat loads of that rare old luxury

ment figures disclosing large increases per cent safe-crashed, killing seven Her plan of operation consisted of ill or too tired to travel to any point in shipments of champagne to the In the preceding year, before the Volstead law went into effect, France exported only \$1,158 worth of cham pagne to the United States. American Counsul General Thack-

ara, at Paris, called attention to the heavier outflow of French wine to America in his latest official report to the Commerce Department. He said the movement of champagne this sented to President Harding today by year is equally large.

Government experts said the figures cans, whose origin was in these coundisclosed that Americans, therefore, tries.

consumed nearly 400,000 quarts of Representative Walter M. Chandler

French champagne after the dry lid of New York declared that these small ion was to have established a na- went on a little more than a year nations "merit the respect and recog-

# FATE APPEARS TO SMILE ON FAMOUS ACE, HANSEN F

Rickenbacker's Friend Significance In Uncanny Ability to Avoid Accidents.

The airplane crash at Indian Head, Md., Saturday, which claimed the lives of seven men — all experts in aviation—is filled with significance in the eyes of Chester W. Hansen, president of a South American bridge building concern, who lives at the Franklin Square Hotel.

Mr. Hansen is a close personal friend of Eddie Rickenbacher and in years past was often the traveling companion of A. G. Batchelder. Rickenbacher safely weathered the storm of Saturday evening and landed in

WATCHED PERILOUS FEATS.

"Six years ago, said Mr. Hansen,
"I stood in the judges' stand on the people and his country.

Just as he progressed from the bicycle world into automobiledom, so he was turning to aviation. He had beachey, premier flier of his time, and

> "'Batch' turned to Beachey and remarked that he would not ride the course at that speed for a fortune.

> while people considered his work hazardous, he would be looping when Eddie Boy' was out of the picture. "Rickenbacher set a ninety-mile testants until his car, out of control, plunged off the course, through mountains of baled hay piled up at the turn as a protection. Eddle came up smil-ing, but what other contestants of

> hat race are still alive w. forget the pace he set.
>
> 'The following Sunday, before an audience of 300,000, Beachey fell to his death in Golden Gate bay and his place in the Aerial Hall of Fame has teen taken by Eddle Rickenbacher the smiling dare-devil with a charmed

> "Saturday evening, 'Rick,' alone in small plane-after several crashes and narrow squeaks-landed safe,

> "There is a significance somewhere and it surely makes one wonder at the caprices of fate."

### SLAVIC PEOPLES ASK

FOR U. S. RECOGNITION An appeal for recognition of Latvia, a delegation of more than 100 Ameri-

nition of all mankind." Petitions, which bore more than a



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